

# CITY OF NORTH BEND UPCOMING EVENTS IN 2012

Love the outdoors – come to North Bend. Whatever your ability, skill or fitness level hikers, bikers, kayakers, climbers outdoor enthusiasts of all kinds will find the perfect adventure jumping off spot.

Love the arts – come to North Bend. Whether you enjoy live theatre, jazz or movies, North Bend has it all.

Love to shop – come to North Bend. Choose from great bargains and a wide variety of shops at the Outlet Mall or the eclectic collection of shops downtown.

East on I-90 just thirty-five minutes from Seattle, North Bend really is:

**EASY TO REACH... HARD TO LEAVE.** 

Check out North Bend be part of one of the many exciting events we have planned.

#### March 24 & 25.

**University of Washington Cycling Road Race.** Come and watch the Dawgs take on four universities in this exciting road race based in the heart of downtown North Bend.

### June 2<sup>nd</sup>.

### Ninja Dash

This is the ultimate test of skills. Test your balance, speed, agility and strength in this course designed to train you into the ultimate Ninja at Mountain Meadows.

### June - Sept.

North Bend hosts a Farmers Market and Summer Concert Series every Thursday afternoon. Arts and crafts, local produce, organic local beef and great music at our very own Si View Metropolitan Park District

# July 14th.

**The fourth annual Downtown Block Party.** The family summer event; lots to do, lots to eat, great competitions and live music into the evening – party on North Bend style.

### July 21 & 22.

**Warrior Dash** – crazy fun – join 25,000 other Puget Sound area Warriors running a 5k through mud, fire and obstacles. Get signed up now and explore our very own Meadowbrook Farm Warrior style.

#### August 11 & 12.

**Festival at Mt Si**, the classic small town America annual parade and festival.

## August 12<sup>th</sup>.

**Tour de Peaks**, the cycling event for everyone. Nearly a thousand cyclists on a variety of routes for all abilities – come and join the fun, get fit enjoy our beautiful Valley.

#### October TBD.

**North Bend Cyclocross**, the newest addition to the cycling world, an exciting off road event in and around downtown North Bend.

#### November and December.

The North Bend Mountain Film Series including the Banff International Film Festival on 12/5 and 12/6 and the North Bend Amateur Film Challenge on 12/7.

### December 8<sup>th</sup>.

**Holiday Tree Lighting Festival,** community sing-a-long, great entertainment, a visit from Santa, the perfect way to kick off the Holiday Season.

With a strong volunteer Economic Development Committee and Marketing Team, determined business owners and a partnership with Si View, North Bend is working to enhance the economic vitality of North Bend and promote our local businesses, by hosting recreation oriented events aimed to drive up tourism and visitors. **Stay tuned.....more to come from this active little town.** 

